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Subject: Chief Beck's quote at the close of 2017

Cindy,

Here is a quote from Chief Beck with some additional information.

"In 2017, Mayor Garcetti and I focused on the critical importance of reducing gun violence in Los Angeles. Our success was derived in part using data-driven community-focused strategies, expanding community trust, and relentless follow-up. As we end 2017, we are on track to have one of the lowest number of shooting victims and homicides in recent history."

Throughout 2018, we will continue to focus on violent crime reduction using smart policing strategies and working collaboratively with our community on crime prevention strategies aimed at reducing property crime. Additionally, we will strengthen our ability to measure public trust and satisfaction with the use of state of the art community satisfaction survey instruments.

Thank you, Trish

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